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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO. <b>1618 WO/US</b>
		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>10/581418</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2004/040243	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 02-Dec-2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 06-Jan-2004
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>METHOD FOR SELECTIVE REDUCTION OF AROMATIC COMPOUNDS</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Wang et.al.		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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<p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</p> <p>13. <input type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment</p> <p>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76</p> <p>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</p> <p>16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter..</p> <p>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825</p> <p>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)</p> <p>20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: <b>POSTCARD</b></p>		

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